

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – Forest Department – Disciplinary action against Sri V. Ganga Raju, FSO(Retd & Expired) formerly worked as FSO, Logging Range, Jangareddigudem of Rajahmundry Circle, on the allegations of misappropriation of Rs. 2,45,585/- in maintenance of approach roads in Bamboo Coupes – Article of Charge issued Under rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules 1991 – Charged Officer expired on 28.06.2015 – Further action abated – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (Sec.IV) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 99

Dated: 10-09-2016
Read the following:

1. From the DG., (Vig. & Enft.) & E.O. Vigilance Report No.111, dt. 4.10.2004.
2. G.M. No. 8207/For.IV/2004-1, dt. 14.2.2005.
3. From the PCCF, Lr. Rc. No. 7389/2005/P4, dt. 13.3.2005.
4. G.M. No. 8207/For.IV/2004-2, dt. 24.6.2006.
5. From the PCCF, Ref. No. 7389/2005/PXA-1, dt. 2.7.2006.
6. G.O. Rt. No. 549, EFS&T(For.IV) Dept., dt. 8.12.2011
7. G.M. No. 8207/For.IV/A1/2004-8, dt. 4.6.2013.
8. From the PCCF, Ref. No. 7389/2005/K3, dt. 15.7.2013.
9. From the PCCF Lr. Ref. No. 7389/2005/Vig-3, dt. 11.7.2014.
10. From the PCCF, Ref. No. 7389/2005/Vig-1, dt. 7.3.2015.

ORDER:

An Article of Charge was issued against Sri V. Ganga Raju, Forest Section Officer, while working as FSO, Logging Range, Jangareddigudem during the year 2003-2004 vide Divisional Forest Officer, Logging Range, Jangareddigudem Rc.No. 167/2005-E2(ii), dt. 30.04.2005 under Rule 20 of A.P.C.S(CC&A) Rules, 1991, on the following count:

Article:

That he exhibited gross neglect of duty by

- a) Recording false measurements in M. Book and misappropriated the Government funds to a tune of Rs.45,871/-
- b) Paid for erection of shed without recording in M. Book.

2. The case was entrusted to the Commissioner of Inquires for common enquiry since different cadres of the Officers/staff were involved in it. The findings of the Commissioner of Inquiries were received and were communicated by the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Hyderabad vide Rc. No. 7389/2005/K-11/1, dated:19.04.2012.

3. The Charged Officer acknowledged the receipt of the findings but did not submit his further defence.

4. The Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, AP, Hyderabad vide reference 9th read above has informed on the recovery of the misappropriated amount of Rs. 5,101/- in respect of Sri V. Ganga Raju, FSO, to which he was responsible.

5. Meanwhile, the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, has informed that the Charged Officer Sri V. Ganga Raju, Forest Section Officer(Retd) expired on 28.06.2015.

6. The matter has been examined by the Government in the light of the sub-rule (7) (a) of rule 9 of the A.P. Revised Pension Rules, 1980 as mentioned in G.O.Ms.No.85, Finance & Planning. (FW.Pen-I) Department, dt:12.7.1999 and under the provisions of G.O.Ms.No.995 Finance (Pen.I) Department, dt:21.12.2002.

7. After careful examination of the matter, the Government here by order to abate further action against the deceased Government servant Sri V. Ganga Raju, Forest Section Officer(Retired & Expired) in this case. The Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P. Hyderabad is also directed to take action as per the provisions of G.O.Ms.No.995 Finance (Pen.I) Department dt.21.12.2002 for recovery of the pecuniary loss caused to Government, Rs.5101/- from the DCRG of Sri V. Ganga Raju, Forest Section Officer(Retired & Expired).

8. The Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P. Hyderabad is directed to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr.P.V.RAMESH
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P. Hyderabad.

Legal heirs of late Sri V.Ganga Raju, Forest Section Officer(Retd & Expired)
(through Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests.)

Copy to

The Accountant General, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad.

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SECTION OFFICER